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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: SHUM
SUBJ: WORLD CONFERENCE TO COMBAT RACISM AND RACIAL
DISCRIMIINATION, GENEVA, AUGUST 14-25, 1978

REF: STATE 204786

1. AUGUST 14 CHARGE DELIVERED AIDE MEMOIRE CONTAINED PARA 1
REF TO AMBASSADOR CARLOS GIAMBRUNO, FOREIGN MINISTRY
DIRECTOR FOREIGN POLICY (WITH FONMIN ABSSSENT, NUMBER TWO
IN MINISTRY), EXPRESSING HOPE THAT GOU WOULD SUPPORT EFFORTS
TO BLOCK EMERGENCE OF ZIONISM-RACISM ISSUE AT SUBJECT CON-
FERENCE. GIAMBRUNO THANKED CHARGE FOR BRINGING MATTER TO
GOU'S ATTENTION, SINCE THIS WAS ITS FIRST INDICATION THAT
EFFORT MIGHT BE MADE TO INJECT Z-R ISSUE INTO CONFERENCE.
GIAMBRUNO, FORMER AMBASSADOR TO THE UN, NOTED THAT GOU
HAD VOTED AGAINST ORIGINAL Z-R RESOLUTION, HAD CONSISTENTLY
OPPOSED EFFORTS TO INJECT ISSUE INTO INTERNATIONAL CONFER-
ENCES, AND WOULD CONTINUE TO DO SO. GIAMBRUNO SAID HE WOULD
SEND AN IMMEDIATE TELEGRAM TO URUGUAYAN DELEGATION TO SUBJECT
CONFERENCE CONFIRMING THIS POLICY AND INSTRUCTING IT TO
OPPOSE ANY ATTEMPTS TO REAFFIRM ZIONISM-RACISM DECISION.

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2. CHARGE ALSO EXPRESSED HOPE TO GIAMBRUNO THAT GOU DEL-
EGATION WOULD MAKE ITS OPPOSITION TO Z-R RESOLUTION KNOWN
TO ITS AFRICAN FRIENDS AT CONFERENCE, NOTING THAT IT
MIGHT BE PREFERABLE TO LOBBY AFRICANS TO PREVENT ANY
EMERGENCE OF ISSUE THAN TO HAVE TO EXPLAIN NEGATIVE
VOTE TO ARABS SHOULD RESOLUTION BE PRESENTED. GIAMBRUNO
AGREED AND INDICATED THAT HE WOULD INCLUDE THIS IN HIS

MESSAGE TO URUGUAYAN DELEGATION.

3. ALTHOUGH NOT COVERED IN REF, WE ARE INFORMING LOCAL ISRAELI AMBASSADOR OF OUR APPROACH AND GIVING HIM COPY OF OUR AIDE MEMOIRE. ISRAELS, PARTICULARLY WITH THEIR WILLINGNESS TO SELL ARMS, ARE IN RELATIVELY GOOD STANDING WITH CURRENT MILITARY GOVERNMENT HERE AND MAY WISH TO LEND THEIR SUPPORT.

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